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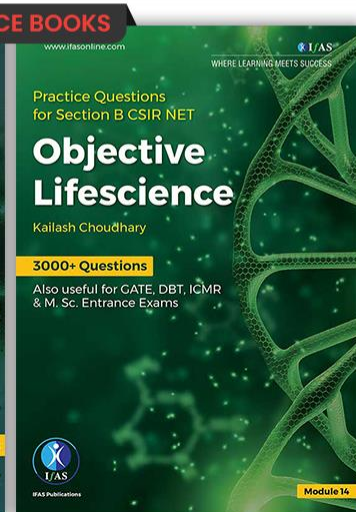
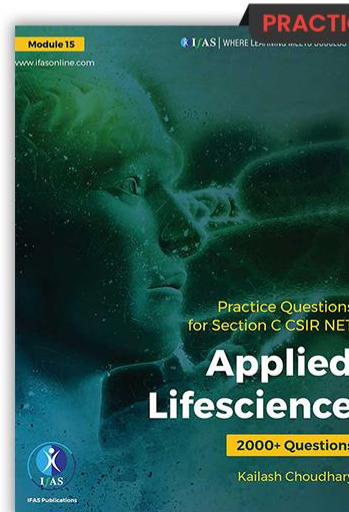
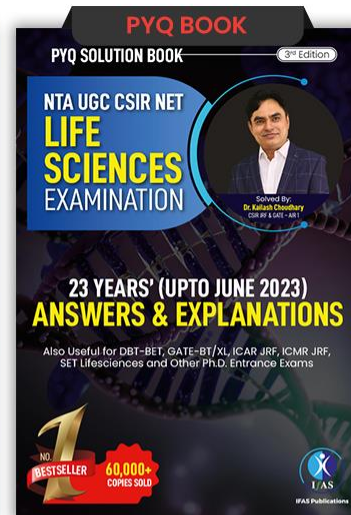
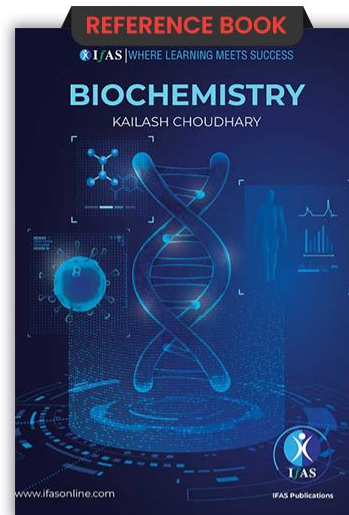
Unit 1: Biochemistry

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Carbohydrates



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Points to be covered in this Lecture

- Monosaccharides
- Stereo-isomerism
- Optical Activity
- Oligosaccharides
- Reducing Sugars
- Starch and Glycogen
- Cellulose, Chitin, Pectin
- Hetero-polysaccharides

carbohydrates!



Carbohydrates

Most **abundant** biomolecule ✓

Compounds of C, H and O ✓

General formula: $C_nH_{2n}O_n$ where 'n' is 3 or more ✓

C H O
1 : 2 : 1

Hydrated form of Carbon: C_n (H_2O)_n

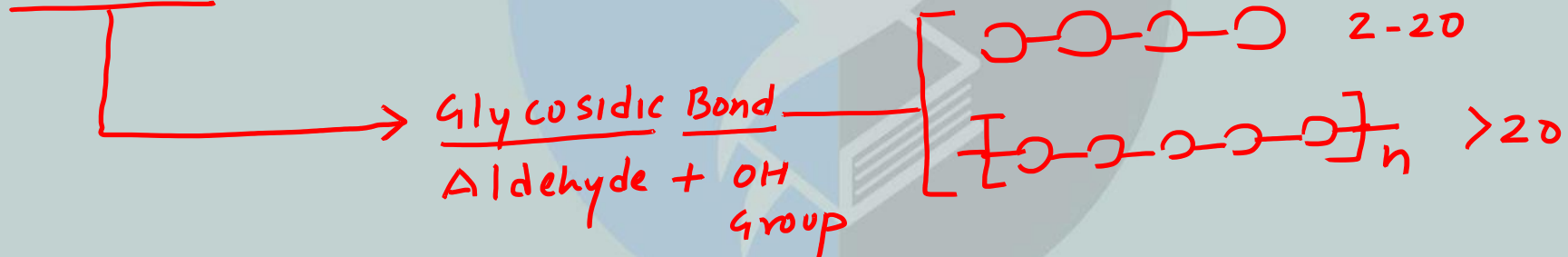
Chemically: Poly hydroxy aldehydes (aldoses eg. Glucose) or
Poly hydroxy ketones (ketoses eg Fructose)



Carbohydrates are divided into 3 main classes

- ☐ **Monosaccharides** (Simple sugars – 3 to 9 Carbons)
- ☐ **Oligosaccharides** (Contains 2 to 20 sugar residue)
- ☐ **Polysaccharides** (Contains over 20 sugar residue)

Glycans = Oligo + Polysaccharides





I. MONOSACCHARIDES : → monomers for glycans

✓ Single sugar unit which cannot be further hydrolyzed into still smaller carbohydrates

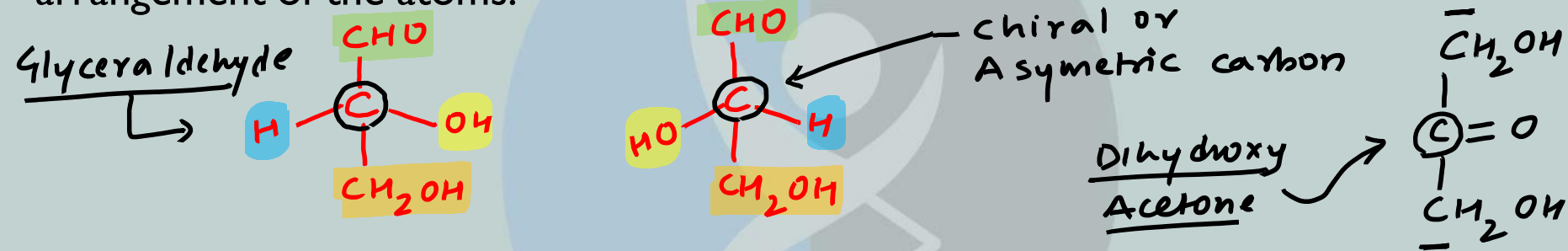
- Triose — 3C
- Tetrose — 4C
- Pentose — 5C
- Hexose — 6C
- Heptose — 7C



		Aldoses	Ketoses
3C	Triose	<u>Glyceraldehyde</u>	<u>Dihydroxy acetone</u>
4C	Tetrose	<u>Erythrose</u> <u>Threose</u>	<u>Erythrulose</u>
5C	Pentose	<u>Ribose</u> <u>Xylose</u> <u>Arabinose</u> <u>Lyxose</u>	<u>Ribulose</u> <u>xylulose</u>
6C	Hexose	<u>Glucose</u> (Dextrose) <u>Galactose</u> <u>Mannose</u>	<u>Fructose</u> (Laevulose)

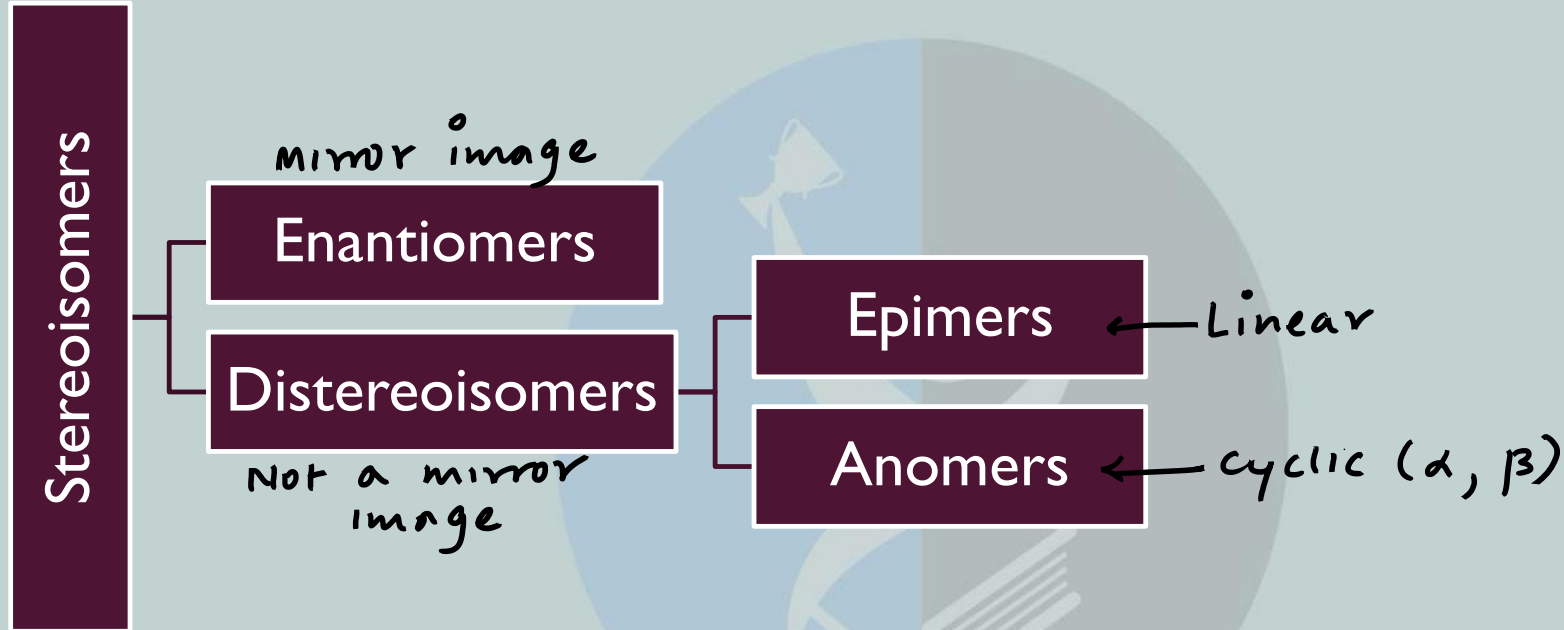
Stereoisomers:

Have the same molecular formula and connectivity, but a different 3-D spatial arrangement of the atoms.



A molecule with ' n ' chiral centers = 2^n stereoisomers.

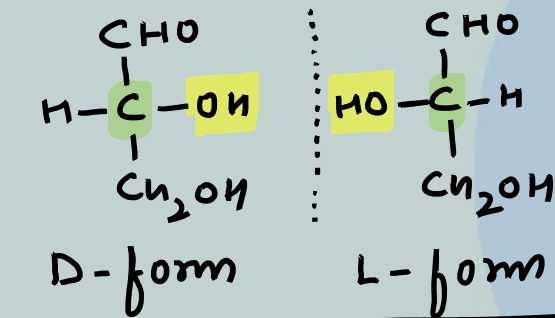
	<u>Aldehyde</u>	<u>Stereoisomer</u>	<u>Ketone</u>	<u>Stereoisomer</u>
Triose(3c)	$n = 1$	2	$n = 0$	1
Tetrose(4c)	$n = 2$	4	$n = 1$	2
Pentose(5c)	$n = 3$	8	$n = 2$	4
Hexose(6c)	$n = 4$	16	$n = 3$	8



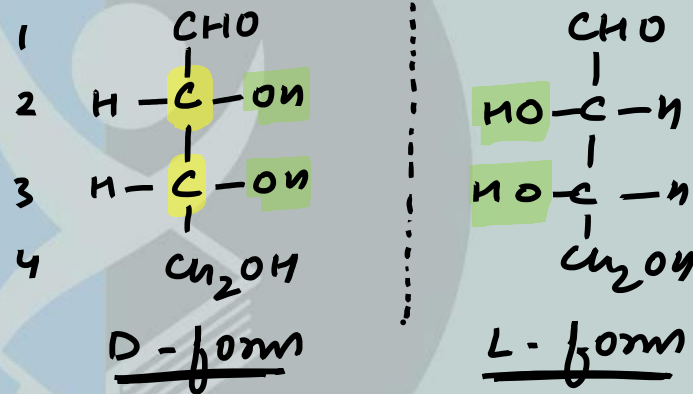


Enantiomers:

D and L forms of a monosaccharide are non-superimposable mirror images. (R & S)



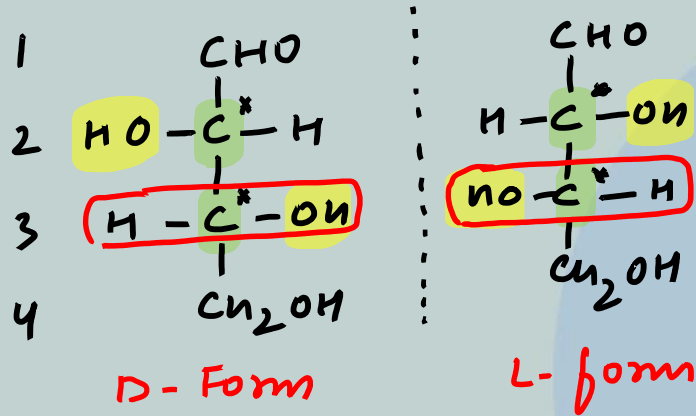
• Absolute configuration
Glyceraldehyde



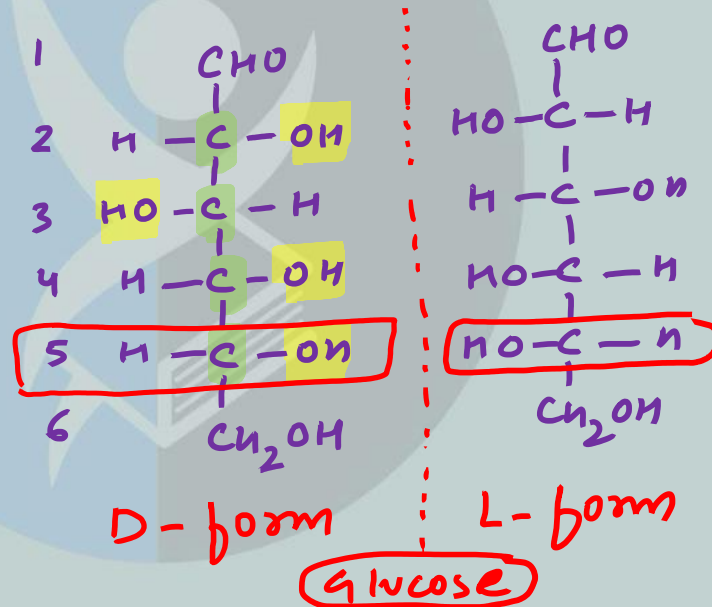
Erythrose



When more than one chiral center is present : compare last chiral carbon with D or L- form of Glyceraldehyde



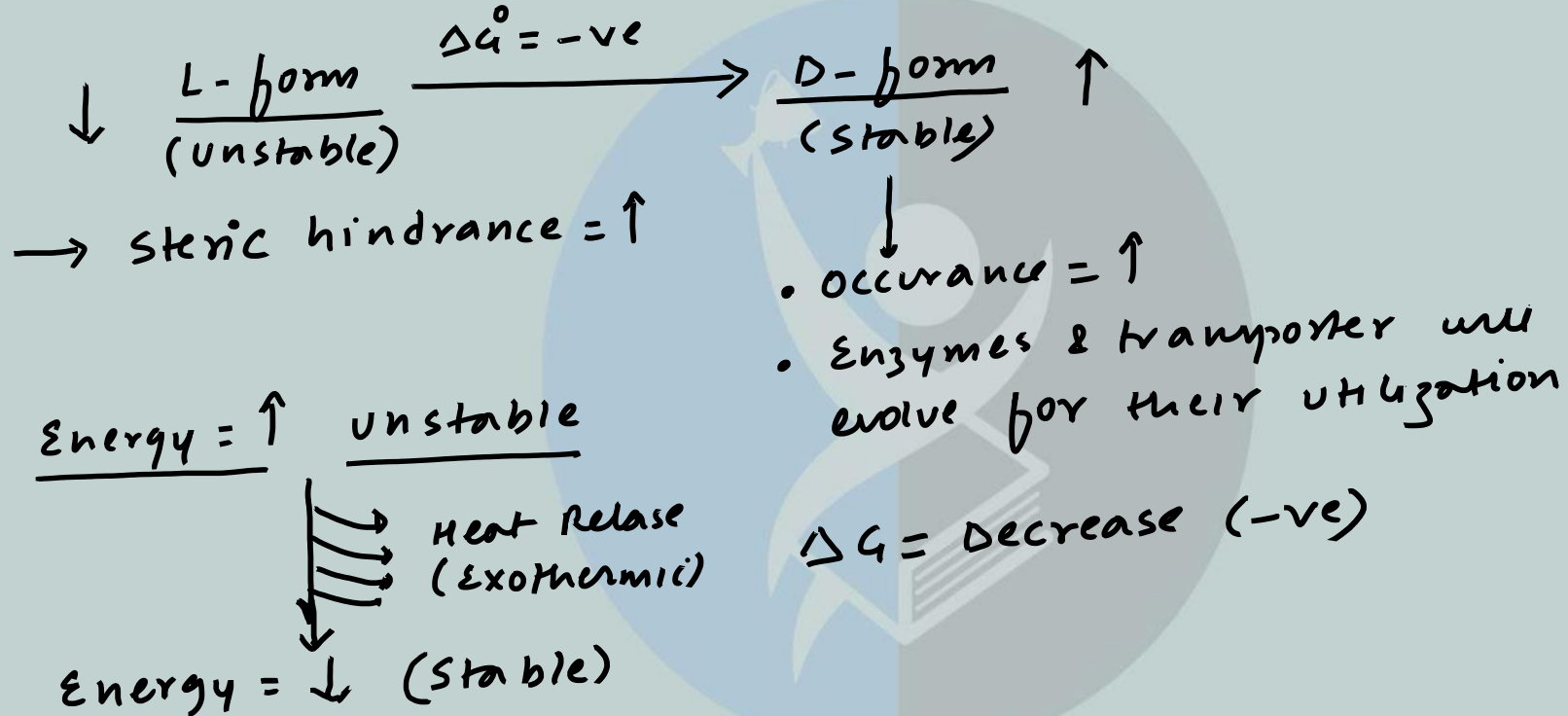
Threose





Most of Sugar in biological system are D-form

L-form \rightarrow Rare





D and L indicate the configuration of an asymmetric carbon,
They ***do not indicate rotation of plane polarized light***

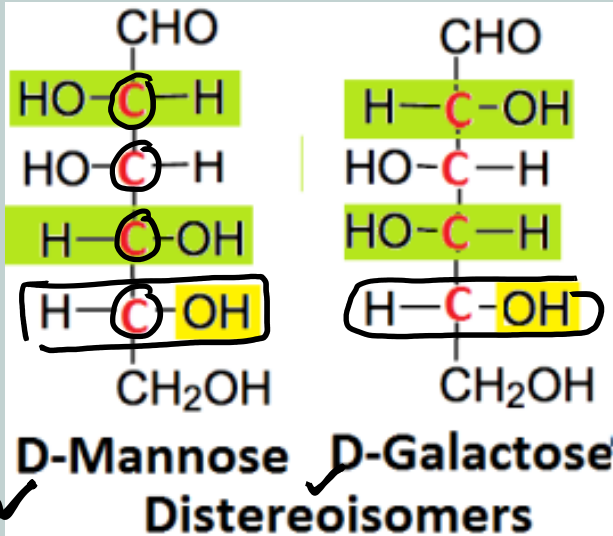
D-Glucose = $+52$ (Dextro rotatory) L-Glucose = -52°
D-Fructose = -92 (Laevo rotatory) L-Fructose = $+92^{\circ}$

Dextro rotatory : d or + (not D)
Laevo rotatory : l or - (not L)

Enantiomers have the same physical properties, except for the direction in which they rotate polarized light

Distereo-isomers:

Stereoisomers of a compound have different configurations at one or more (but not all) of the equivalent (related) stereo-centers (chiral carbon)



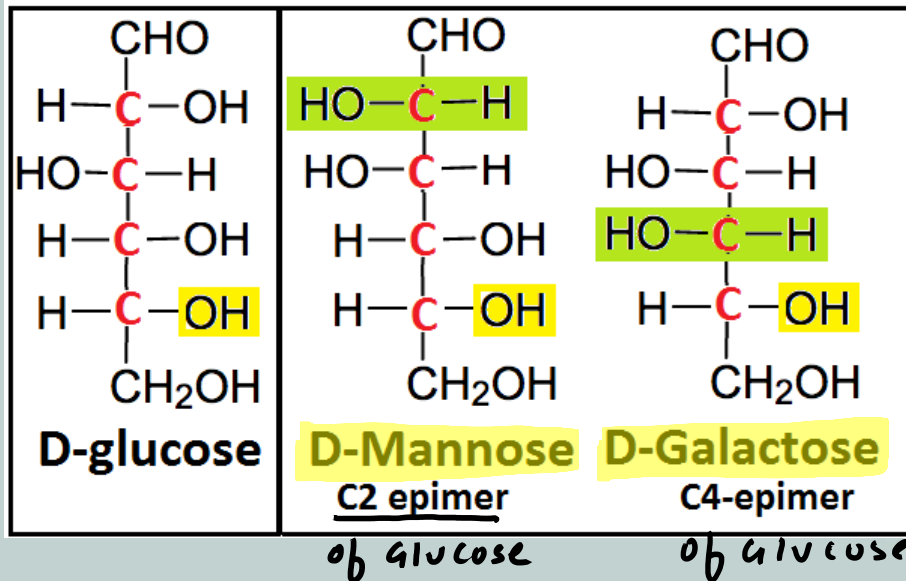
- 1
- 2 ← change in OH position
- 3 No change
- 4 ← change
- 5 No change
- 6

If change is only at 1 place → Epimer
else simply referred as distereo-isomer



Epimers are distereoisomers that differ in configuration of **only one asymmetric carbon** of enantiomers or **diastereomers**.

Example, **D-mannose is C-2 epimers** and **D-galactose is C-4 epimers** of glucose



Glucose & mannose : C₂ Epimer
Glucose & Galactose : C₄ epimer

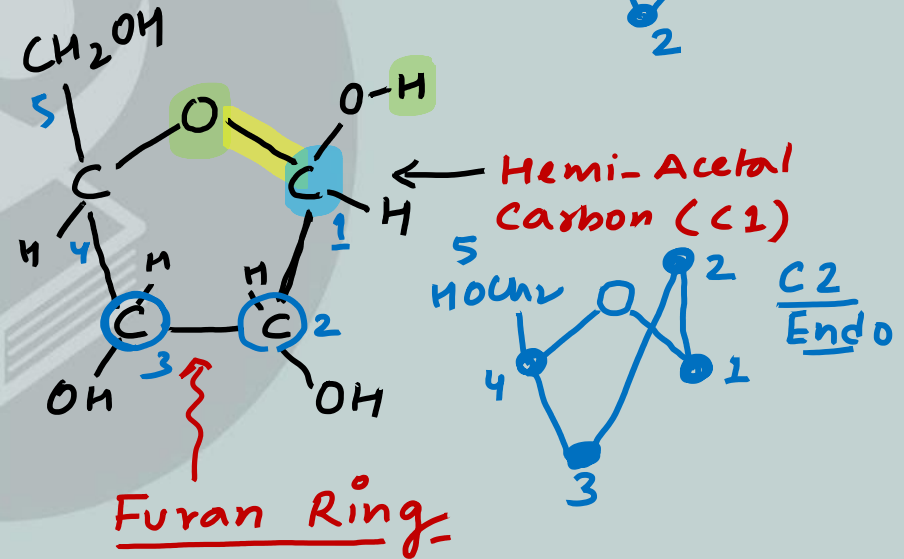
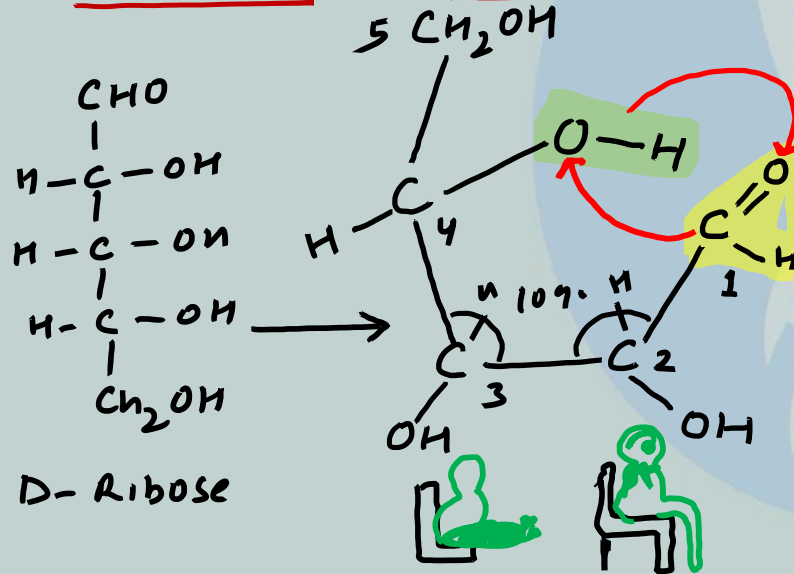
Also distereoisomer
Also stereoisomer

D-Mannose & D-Galactose

- Change at carbon 2 & carbon 4
- They are not epimer but they are distereoisomer

Furanose ring structure : Reactive aldehyde (ketone) and OH group
Hemi-acetal (Hemi ketal)

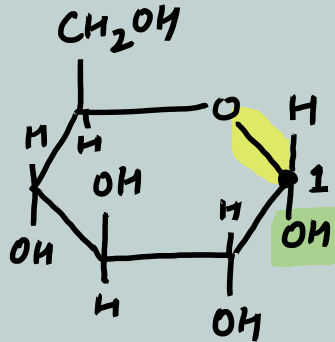
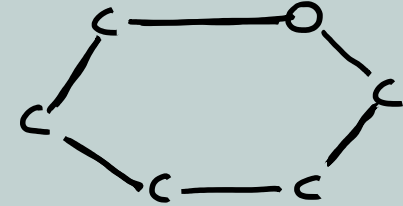
- ✓ 5 Membered Ring - 4 carbon and 1 oxygen
- Formed by Pentose aldehydes and hexose ketones
- Ring is not planar – Half chair form





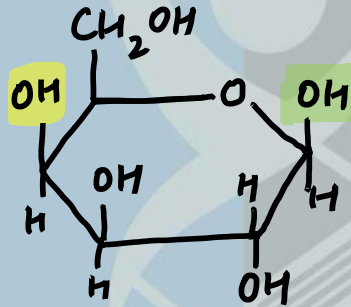
Pyranose ring structures

- 6 Membered Ring - 5 carbon and 1 oxygen
- Formed by Hexose aldehydes and hexose ketones (unstable)
- Ring is not planar - Chair form



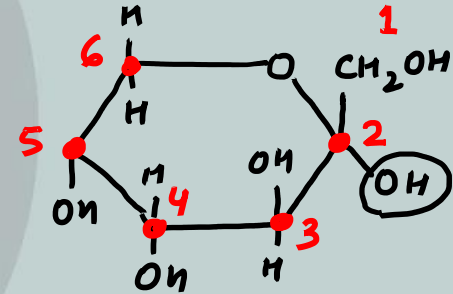
D - Glucose

α -D-Glucopyranose



β -D-Galactose

β -D-Galactopyranose

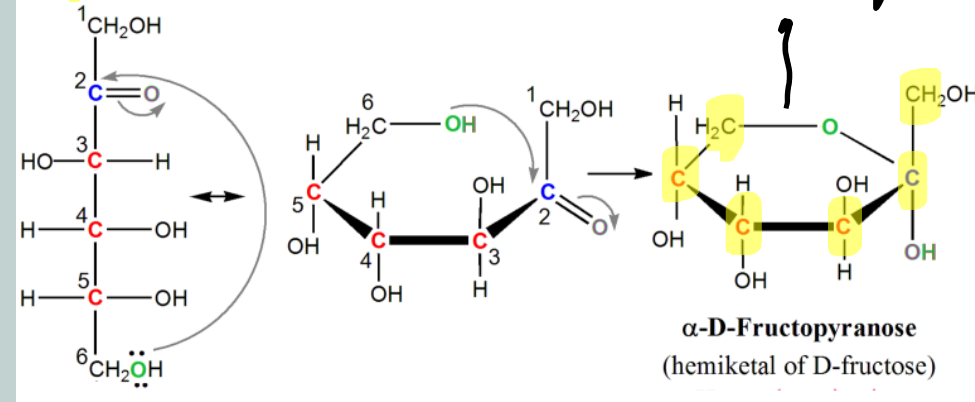


α -D-Fructose

α -D-fructopyranose (unstable)
• Sweetest sugar.

Fructo-pyranose

chair form



chain form (Linear)

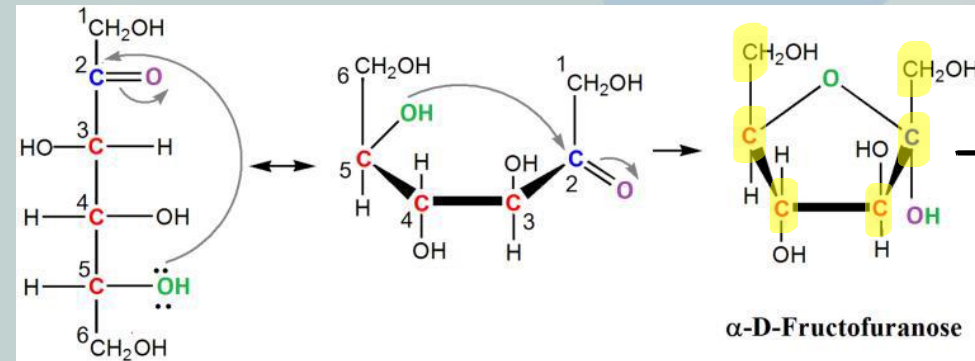
Ring form

$\Delta G^\circ = -ve$

fructopyranose \rightarrow fructofuranose

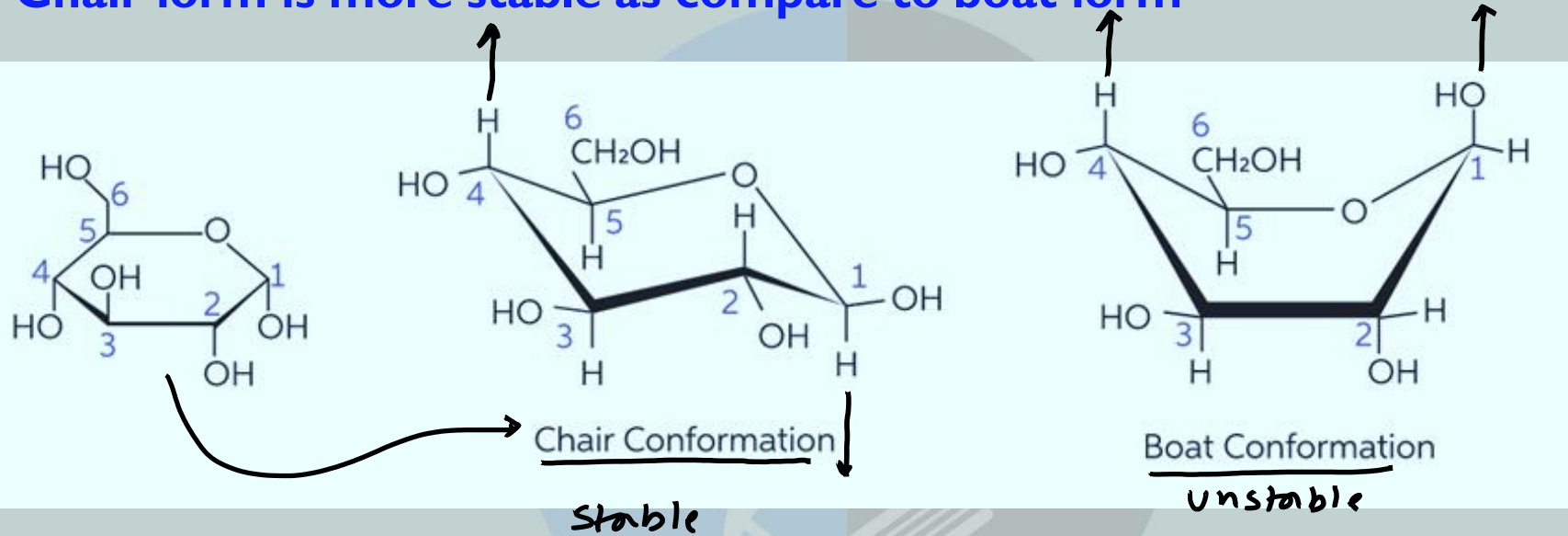
- unstable
- sweetest
- stable
- not much sweet

Fructo-furanose



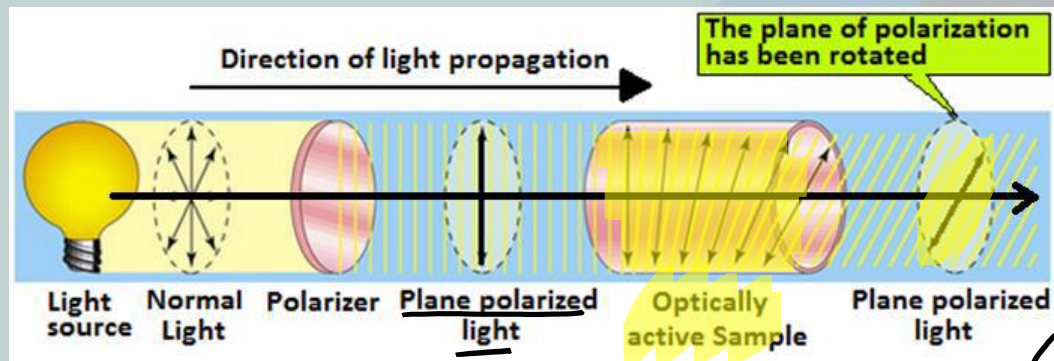
half chair

Chair form is more stable as compare to boat form





Optical Activity : molecule must have atleast one chiral carbon.



• all carbohydrates are optically active except dihydroxy acetone (3C-ketone)

$$\begin{aligned} \beta\text{-D-Glucose} &= +18.7^\circ \\ \alpha\text{-D-Glucose} &= +112.2^\circ \\ \text{D-Glucose}(\alpha + \beta) &= +52.7^\circ \\ \text{D-fructose}(\alpha + \beta) &= -92^\circ \\ \text{Sucrose} &= +66^\circ \end{aligned}$$

✓ **Dextrorotatory (+); or to the left, levorotatory (-)**

Racemic mixtures

$$\begin{aligned} \text{D-Glucose} &+ \text{L-Glucose} = \text{No net optical rotation} \\ +52^\circ &\quad -52^\circ \end{aligned}$$



Anomers:

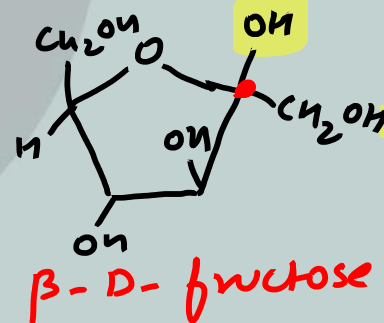
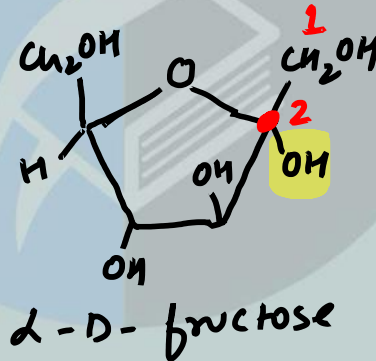
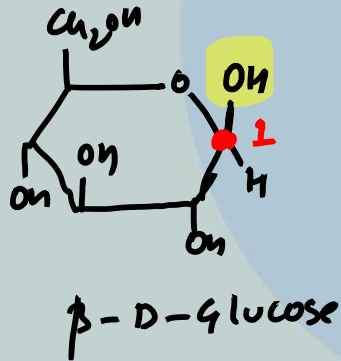
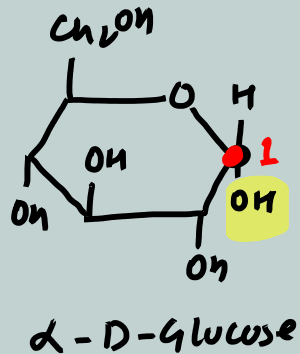
α
 β

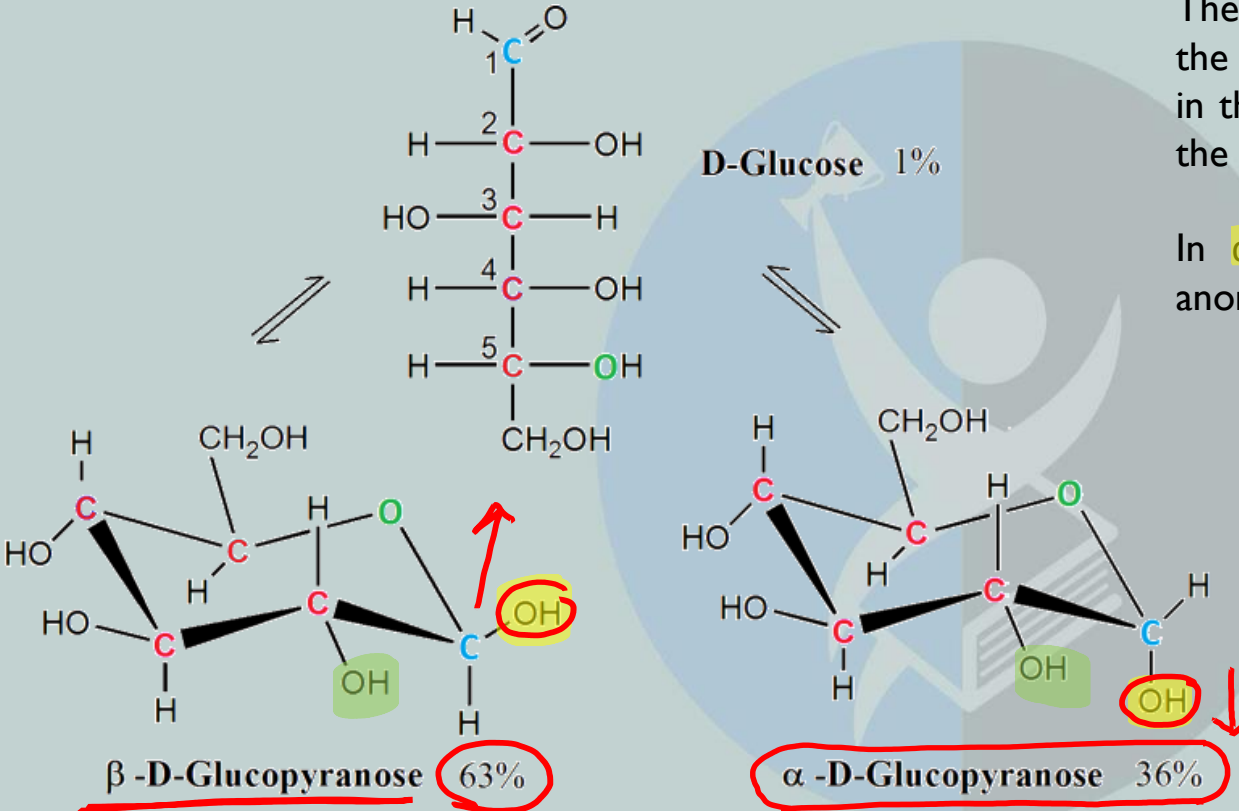
Di-stereoisomers of cyclic forms of sugars differing in the configuration at the **anomeric carbon**.

- Hemi-acetal carbon.

C-1 atom of an aldose or the C-2 atom of a 2-ketose.

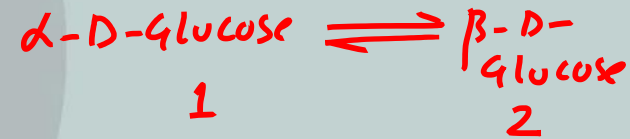
OH-group down the plane : α -anomer
 OH-group above plane : β -anomer





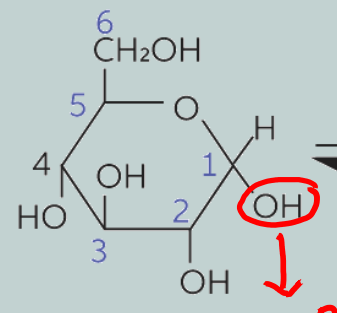
The β -D-glucose predominates, because the -OH group of the anomeric carbon is in the more stable **equatorial position** of the more **stable chair structure**.

In α -D-glucose, the -OH group on the anomeric carbon is **axial**.

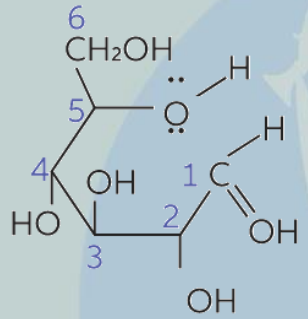


Mutarotation: $\alpha \rightleftharpoons \beta$ - anomer

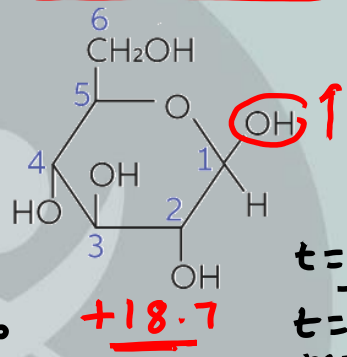
α -D-(+)-glucose



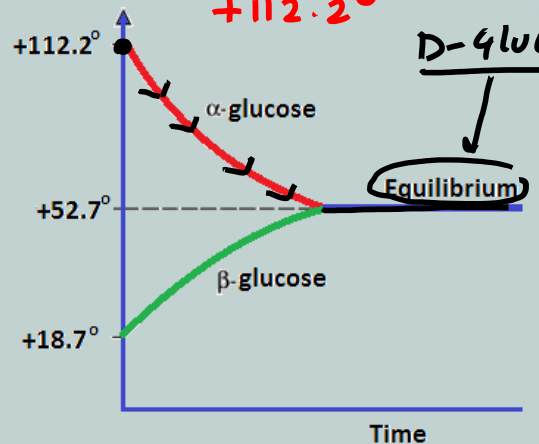
D-(+)-glucose



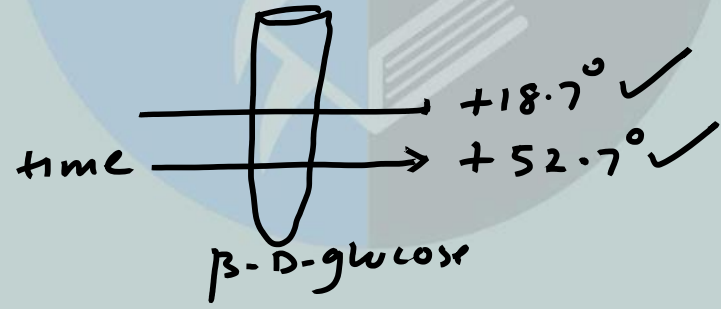
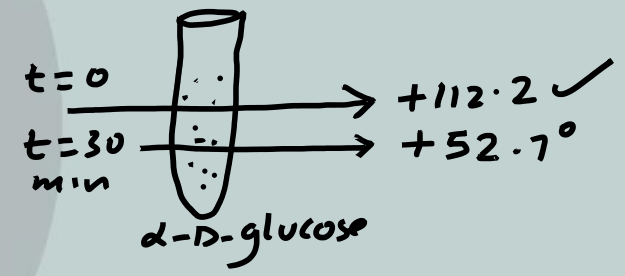
β -D-(+)-glucose



$\alpha \rightleftharpoons \beta$
36.1% 63.1%
+112.2° +18.7°



D-glucose ($\alpha + \beta$) = +52.7°

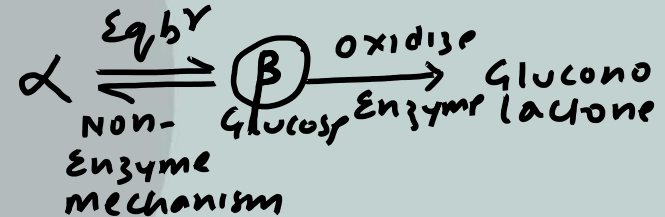




Apply Your Mind:

The enzyme glucose oxidase isolated from the mold *Penicillium notatum* catalyzes the oxidation of β -D-glucose to D-glucono- δ -lactone. This enzyme is highly specific for the β anomer of glucose and does not affect α anomer. In spite of this specificity, the reaction catalyzed by glucose oxidase is commonly used in a clinical assay for total blood glucose?

- (1) Only 50 % D-glucose sugar will be monitored
- (2) Only 66 % glucose sugar will be assayed
- (3) Only 33 % glucose sugar will be assayed
- ✓ (4) Almost total glucose will be assayed as rate of mutarotation is high.





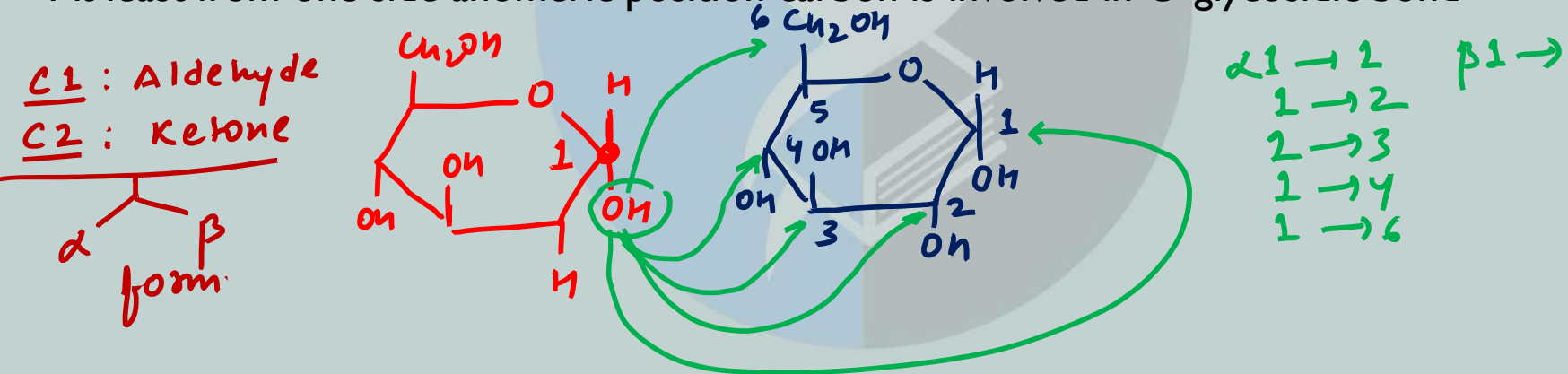
OLIGOSACCHARIDES:

The sugars with limited numbers (2-20) of monosaccharides are called **oligosaccharides**.

Disaccharide (2 sugars)

These include trisaccharides, tetra saccharides, hexasaccharides, heptasaccharides etc.

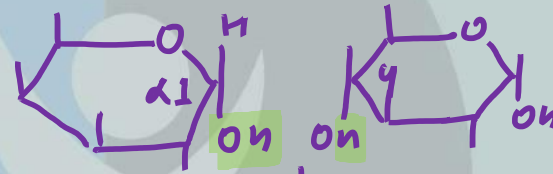
At least from one side anomeric position carbon is involved in O-glycosidic bond





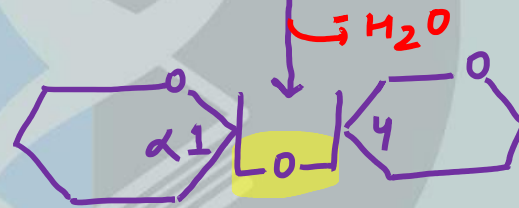
Molecular weight of oligosaccharide

Linear oligosaccharide: Number of glycosidic bond is 1 less than number of sugar residues. H_2O (18 Dalton) is released for every glycosidic bond.

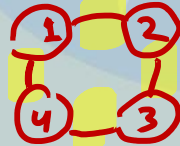


- 5 Glucose (180 D) are linked in linear chain. Molecular wt?

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (5 \times \text{Glucose}) - (4 \times \text{water}) \\
 & (5 \times 180) - (4 \times 18) \\
 & = (900 - 72) \quad \checkmark \\
 & = 828 \text{ Dalton}
 \end{aligned}$$



Cyclic oligosaccharide



Number of H_2O molecule eliminated will be equal to number of sugar residues.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (4 \times \text{Glucose}) - (4 \times H_2O) \\
 & = (4 \times 180) - (4 \times 18) \\
 & = 720 - 72 \\
 & = 648 \text{ Dalton}
 \end{aligned}$$



Reducing Sugars:



A free aldehyde group or a free ketone group.

Benedict's reagent (Cu^{2+} in aqueous sodium citrate)

Fehling's solution (Cu^{2+} in aqueous sodium tartrate)

Reduces copper(II) ions to copper(I): forms a brick red copper(I) oxide precipitate.

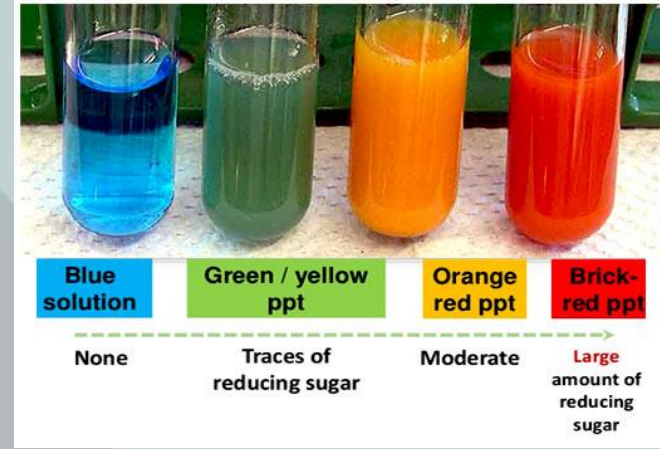
colored crystals

Reducing sugars also forms osazones with phenyl hydrazine

Tollens' reagent (AgNO_3): Silver mirror

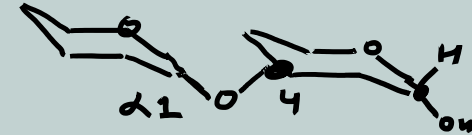


All monosaccharides are reducing sugars, along with some disaccharides such as lactose, maltose, cellobiose.

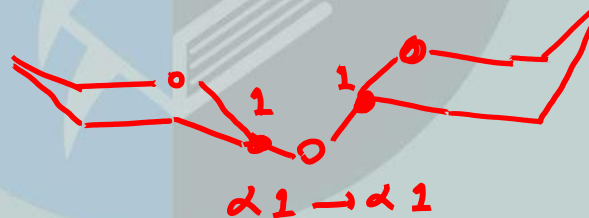




Example	Unit 1	Unit 2	Bond	Reducing Sugar
✓ Malotose	<u>Glucose</u>	<u>Glucose</u>	$\alpha(1 \rightarrow 4)$	Yes
✓ Lactose	<u>Galactose</u>	<u>Glucose</u>	$\beta(1 \rightarrow 4)$	Yes
✓ Lactulose	<u>Galactose</u>	<u>Fructose</u>	$\beta(1 \rightarrow 4)$	Yes
✓ Cellobiose	<u>Glucose</u>	<u>Glucose</u>	$\beta(1 \rightarrow 4)$	Yes
✓ Sucrose	<u>Glucose</u>	<u>Fructose</u>	$\alpha(1 \rightarrow 2)\beta$	No
✓ Trehalose	<u>Glucose</u>	<u>Glucose</u>	$\alpha(1 \rightarrow 1)\alpha$	No



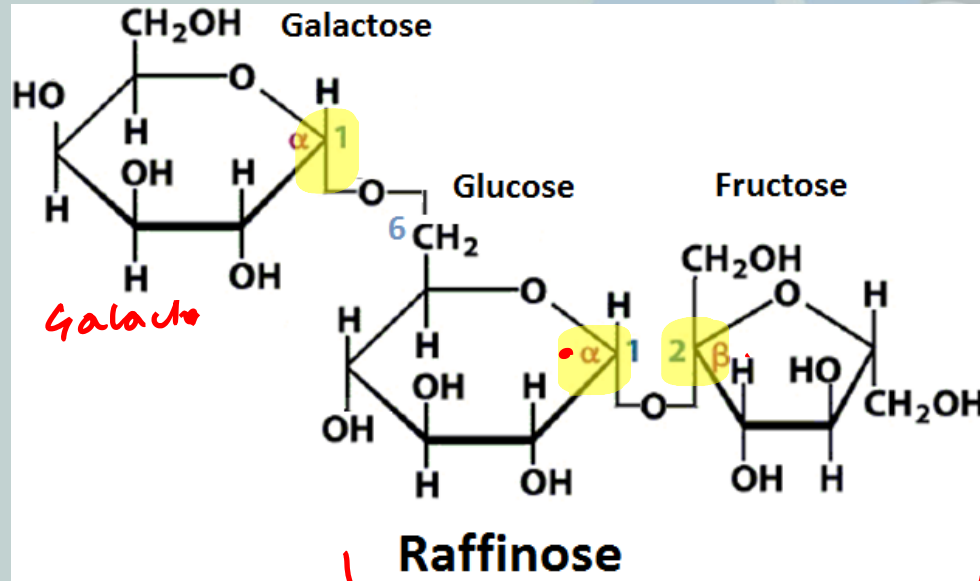
✓ Gentobiose \rightarrow Glucose Glucose $\beta(1 \rightarrow 6)$ Yes





Higher oligosaccharides:

Raffinose is a tri-saccharides composed of galactose $\alpha(1 \rightarrow 6)$ glucose $\beta(1 \rightarrow 2)$ fructose.



← Non-reducing sugar



POLYSACCHARIDES:

1. Homopolysaccharides: *single repeating sugar*
2. Heteropolysaccharide: *more than one type of sugar is repeated.*



Polysaccharides

1. Energy storage : 4 Kcal/g → starch, glycogen, inulin

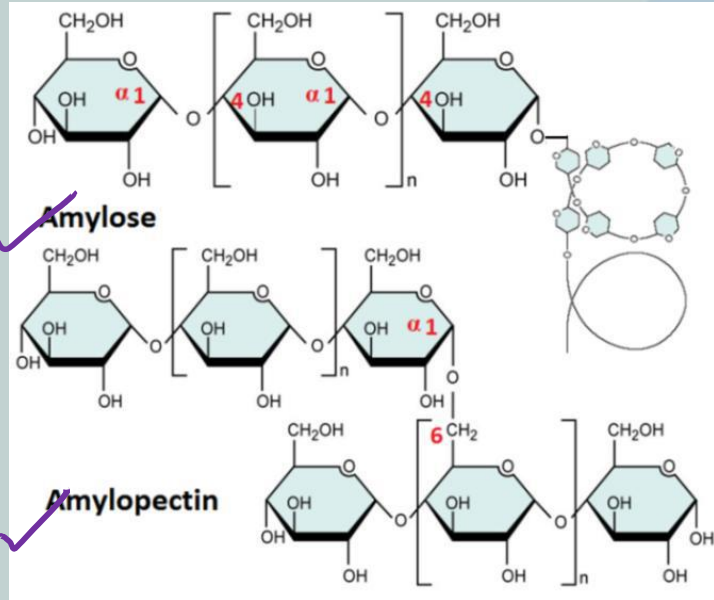
2. Structural Role

→ cellulose, hemicellulose
pectin
chitin
heteropolysaccharides – Dermatan
Keratan etc.

Storage polysaccharide

Starch: Energy storage form in plants

• Homopolymer of D-glucose



Starch

Amylose

- Simple starch
- $\alpha(1 \rightarrow 4)$

Amylopectin

- Branched starch
- $\alpha(1 \rightarrow 4)$ and $\alpha(1 \rightarrow 6)$ bond (25-30 residue)

- Structure: Helical
- Stabilized by Intrachain H-bonding
- Synthesis: chloroplast, \uparrow
- Storage: chloroplast, Leucoplast (amyloplast)



Glycogen: Animal starch

↳ Animals, Fungi, Bacteria: energy storage form

- Similar to amylopectin.

→ $\alpha 1 \rightarrow 4$

→ $\alpha 1 \rightarrow 6$ (after 9-12 residues)

- Helical structure

- intra-chain H-bonding

- synthesis & storage: cytosol of liver & muscles of animals

- Homo-polymer of D-glucose



Structural polysaccharide

Cellulose: most abundant biomolecule

- Homopolymer of D-glucose
- $\beta 1 \rightarrow 4$ \rightarrow sheet like structure
- Stabilized by interchain H-bonding
- Cell wall in plants
- Cellulose synthase is plasma membrane resident enzyme.
- For animals it roughage or fibre in diet not energy source

- Some animals like ruminant & termites — have

Symbiotic microbial association

cellulase

cellulose

Glucose

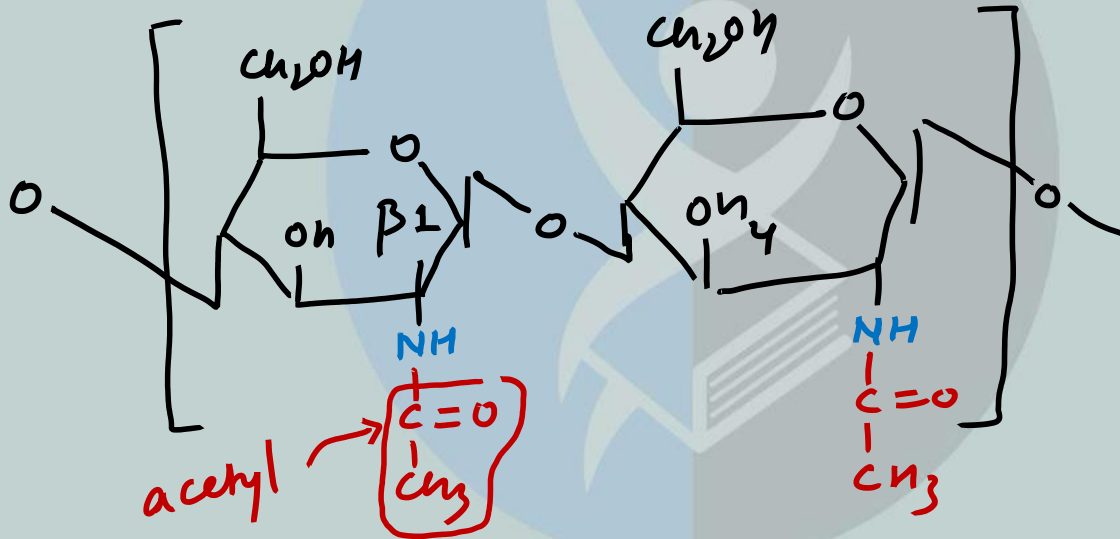
Short
fatty acid

Energy for
ruminants

**Chitin:**

cell wall of fungus except oomycetes (cellulose)

- Homopolymer of **N-acetyl-D-glucosamine (NAG)**
- $\beta 1 \rightarrow 4$, sheet like structure, interchain H-bonding



- Also present in exoskeleton of insects.



Pectin : middle lamella of plant cell

- Cementing agent-
- Homopolymer of D-galacturonic acid
 - ↓
Poly galacturonate = Pectate
- $\alpha 1 \rightarrow 4$ bonds.
- most hydrated sugar.



Hetero- polysaccharides : most often 1 is acidic sugar & another is basic sugar.

eg Peptido- glycan

NAG & NAM
 $\beta 1 \rightarrow 4$

Glycosamine Glycans
{ (GAG)

most of them associate with small proteins

\downarrow
Prote o- Glycans

except

\rightarrow Hyaluronic acid

Mucopoly saccharide	Component of disaccharide repeats	Linkages	
✓ <u>Hyaluronic acid</u>	<u>D-glucouronic acid+</u> <u>N-acetyl-D-glucosamine</u>	$\beta 1 \rightarrow 3$	$\beta 1 \rightarrow 4$
<u>Chondroitin sulfate</u>	<u>D-glucouronic acid+</u> <u>N-acetyl-D-galactosamine-4-Sulfate</u>	$\beta 1 \rightarrow 3$	$\beta 1 \rightarrow 4$
<u>Dermatan sulfate</u>	<u>D-iduronic acid+</u> <u>N-acetyl-D-galactosamine-4-Sulfate</u>	$\alpha 1 \rightarrow 3$	$\beta 1 \rightarrow 4$
<u>Kerato sulfate</u>	<u>D-galactose +</u> <u>N-acetyl-D-glucosamine-6-Sulfate</u>	$\beta 1 \rightarrow 4$	$\beta 1 \rightarrow 3$

Heparin (Anticoagulant)



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Step – 01 Invite Friends

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Step – 02 Earn Cashback

On Every Purchase made using your referral code, you earn 5% instant cashback in your bank account.

Step – 03 Refer More, Earn More

Keep referring as many friends as you can and keep **Earning** cash as much as you can

